

Please stop large telecom companies from squeezing out local ISPs. I go out of my way to use our local ISP, it helps our local economy, and they provide MUCH superior tech support and service. It is the FCC's duty to regulate our telecommunications system to provide for a truly competitive marketplace, one where smaller companies have a fighting chance of survival. If the FCC de-regulates the relationship between large DSL line providers (like SBC etc) and local ISPs, it will only be a matter of a few years before we see the end of local ISPs. Please, ASSUME YOUR DUTY as the REGULATORS of our telecommunications system, don't just turn over your power to a group of OVERSTUFFED mini-monopolies. Don't let the large carriers set their own pricing scheme.

Thank you.